

STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 7456

Petition of Vermont Gas Systems, Inc. for a certificate of)
public good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. Section 248(j),)
authorizing the rebuild and enclosure of an existing pressure-)
regulation station and the replacement of an existing)
communications building on Gorge Road in the City of)
Winooski, Vermont)

Order entered: 9/10/2009

ORDER RE: SCHEDULE

On September 3, 2009, the Vermont Department of Public Service ("Department" or "DPS") filed with the Public Service Board ("Board") a letter enclosing a proposed litigation schedule for this docket.¹ The Department represented in its letter that Vermont Gas Systems, Inc. ("VGS") has assented to the proposed schedule.

In view of the parties' agreement, I adopt the proposed schedule, which is as follows:

DPS files direct testimony	October 5, 2009
VGS serves first round of discovery on DPS	October 16, 2009
DPS responds to first round of discovery	October 30, 2009
VGS files second round of discovery on DPS	November 6, 2009
DPS responds to second round of discovery	November 20, 2009
VGS files rebuttal testimony	December 11, 2009
DPS serves sole round of direct discovery	December 18, 2009
VGS responds to sole round of DPS direct discovery	January 8, 2010

1. Letter from Jeanne Elias, Esq., to Mrs. Susan M. Hudson, dated September 3, 2009.

DPS files surrebuttal testimony	January 22, 2010
VGS serves sole round of rebuttal discovery	January 29, 2010
DPS responds to sole round of VGS rebuttal discovery	February 12, 2010
Technical hearings (one day anticipated)	To be determined

The Parties have suggested several possible dates for the technical hearing. This date will be fixed as the time nears, keeping in mind the Parties' request to have a final order in hand in time for the 2010 construction schedule.

SO ORDERED.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 10th day of September, 2009.

s/June E. Tierney
June E. Tierney, Esq.
Hearing Officer

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

FILED: September 10, 2009

ATTEST: s/Susan M. Hudson
Clerk of the Board

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